Manhattan (Remastered)

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Summer journeys To Niagara And to other places Aggravate all our cares We'll save our faresI've a cozy little flat In what is known as old Manhattan We'll settle down Right here in townWe'll have Manhattan The Bronx and Staten Island, too It's lovely going through The zooIt's very fancy On old Delancey Street, you know The subway charms us so When balmy breezes blow To and froAnd tell me what street Compares with Mott Street

In July

Sweet pushcarts gently gliding byThe great big city's a wondrous toy

Just made for a girl and boy

We'll turn Manhattan

Into an isle of joyWe'll go to Greenwich

Where modern men itch

To be free

And Bowling Green you'll see

With meWe'll bathe at Brighton

The fish you'll frighten

When you're in

Your bathing suit so thin

Will make the shellfish grin

Fin to finI'd like to take a

Sail on Jamaica Bay with you

And fair Canarsie's lake

We'll viewThe city's bustle cannot destroy

The dreams of a girl and boy

We'll turn Manhattan

Into an isle of joyWe'll go to Yonkers

Where true love conquers

In the wilds

And starve together, dear

In Childs'We'll go to Coney
And eat baloney
On a roll
In Central Park we'll stroll

Where our first kiss we stole

Soul to soulOur future babies

We'll take to "Abie's Irish Rose"

I hope they'll live to see

It closeThe city's clamor can never spoil

The dreams of a boy and goil

We'll turn Manhattan

Into an isle of joyWe'll have Manhattan

The Bronx and Staten Island, too

We'll try to cross Fifth Avenue

As black as onyxWe'll find the Bronnix Park Express

Our Flatbush flat, I guess

Will be a great success

More or lessA short vacation

On Inspiration Point

We'll spend

And in the station house we'll endBut civic virtue cannot destroy

The dreams of a girl and boy

We'll turn Manhattan

Into an isle of joy

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